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Filed:	Fe	bruary 16, 2006	Examiner:	BADR			
For:	or: PROCESS FOR PREPARING A FOOD PRODUCT USING DEPOLYMERISED PECTIN AS STABILISER						
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Commissioner for Patents September 14, 2011 P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450							
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	2 .(b)	Fee Payment Pursuant to 37 CFR [before Final Office Action or Alloward Statement or Rule 17(p) fee)]		s Rule 97(e) \$180.00			
	3.	Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.97(d) [after Final Office Action or Allowand Statement <u>and</u> Rule 17(p) fee), but b					

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The following are submitted in the above-identified application in compliance with 37 C.F.R. $\S\S$ 1.97 and 1.98:

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 Please charge all deficiency fees associated with the submission of this Information Disclosure Statement and any other fees applicable to this application to Deposit Account No. 14-1140. An original and one (1) copy of this document are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,
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